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RETALIATION ADVISED

President Cleveland is Annoyed at the Defeat of the Fishery Treaty.

Recommends Retaliation Upon Canada—A Party Political Manifesto.

Washington, Aug. 23—The President to-day sent a message to Congress, the purport of which is as follows:

To the Congress:—The rejection by the senate of the treaty lately negotiated for the settlement and adjustment of differences existing between the United States and Great Britain, concerning the rights and privileges of American fisheries in the ports and waters of British North America, seems to justify a survey of the condition to which the pending question is thus remitted.

The message proceeds to say that under the treaty of 1819 citizens of the United States engaged in fishing in the waters adjacent to Canada have been subjected to numerous vexatious interferences and annoyances. The seizure of their vessels has been justified by Great Britain and Canada on the ground that the treaty of 1819 permitted it and upon the ground that it was necessary to the proper protection of Canadian interests. We deny this and aside from the treaty hold that the liberality, always extended by the United States to the people of Canada, furnished motives for kindness and consideration higher and better than treaty covenants.

While keenly sensible to all that was exasperating in the condition, and by no means indisposed to support the just complaints of our injured citizens, I still deemed it my duty for the preservation of

IMPORTANT AMERICAN INTERESTS

which were directly involved, and in view of all details of the situation, to attempt by negotiation to remedy existing wrongs, and finally determine by a fair and just treaty these ever-recurring cases of difficulty. I fully believe that the treaty just rejected by the senate was well suited to the exigency, and that its provisions were adequate for our security in future from vexatious incidents, and for the promotion of friendly neighborhood and intimacy without sacrificing in the least our national pride or dignity. I am quite conscious that neither my opinion of the value of the rejected treaty, nor the motives which prompted its rejection, are of importance in the light of the judgment of the Senate; but it is of importance to note that this treaty has been rejected without any apparent disposition on the part of the Senate to alter or amend its provisions, and with the evident intention, that no negotiation should at present be concluded touching the matter at issue. The co-operation necessary for the adjustment of the long-standing national differences with which we have to deal by methods of conference and agreement, having thus been declined, I am by no means disposed to abandon the interests and rights of my people in the premises, or to neglect their grievances, and I therefore turn to the contemplation of a plan of retaliation as a mode which still remains of the treaty situation. I am not unmindful of the gravity and the responsibility assigned me in adopting this line of conduct, nor do I fail in the least to appreciate its serious consequences. It will be impossible to injure our Canadian neighbors by retaliatory measures without inflicting some damage upon our citizens. This results from our proximity, our community of interests, and the inevitable commingling of the business enterprises which have been developed by mutual activity. Plainly stated, the

POLICY OF NATIONAL REALIZATION

manifestly embraces the infliction of the greatest harm upon those who have injured us with the least possible damage to ourselves. There is also an evident propriety as well as an invitation to moral support found in visiting upon the offending party the same measure or kind of treatment of which we complain, and as far as possible within the same line, and above all things the plan of retaliation if entered upon should be thorough and vigorous.

Reference is made to the retaliation measure passed on the 3rd March, 1887, which provided that in case of any American vessel visiting Canadian waters being vexed or harrassed in the enjoyment of their rights, the President might deny to vessels, and their masters and crews, of the British dominions of North America any entrance to waters, ports or harbors of the United States, and also deny entry into any port or place of the United States, or any product of said Dominions, or any other goods coming from said Dominions to the United States. The proposition is then made to supplement the power to inaugurate retaliation already vested in the executive. Article 29 of the treaty of 1871 is then quoted which provided for the transit of the goods of either country through the territory of the other in bond and the message proceeds to say that in the year 1886 notice was received by the representatives of our Government that our fishermen would no longer be allowed to ship their fish in bond and

FREE OF DUTY

through Canadian territory to this country, and ever since that time such shipment has been denied. The privilege of such shipment which had been extended to our fishermen was a most important one, allowing them to spend time upon the fishing ground which would otherwise be devoted to a voyage home with their catches and doubling their opportunities for profitably prosecuting their vocation. In forbidding the transit of the catch of our fishermen over their territory in bond and free of duty the Canadian authorities deprived us of the only facility dependent upon their concession, and for which we could supply no substitute. The value to the Dominion of Canada of the privilege of transit for their exports and imports across our territory and to and from our ports though great in every aspect will be better appreciated when it is remembered that for a considerable portion of each year the St. Lawrence river, which constitutes the direct avenue of foreign commerce leading to Canada, is closed by ice. During the last six years the imports and exports of the British Canadian Provinces carried across our territory under the privileges granted by our laws, amounted in value to about $270,000,000, nearly all of which were goods dutiable under our tariff laws, by far the larger part of this traffic consisting of exchange of goods between Great Britain and her American provinces brought to and carried from our ports in their own vessels. The treaty stipulation entered into by our government was in harmony with laws which were then on statute books and are still in force. I recommend immediate legislative action conferring upon the executive the power to suspend by proclamation the operations of all laws and regulations permitting the transit of goods, wares and merchandise in bond across or over the territory of the United States or from Canada. There need be no hesitation in

SUSPENDING THESE LAWS

arising from the supposition that their continuation is secured by treaty obligations.

The various negotiations between the two countries are here cited, and the President proceeds to say that the statute granting to the people of Canada the valuable privileges of transit for their goods from our ports and over our soil, which had been passed prior to the making of the treaty of 1871, and independently of it remained in force ever since the abrogation of the treaty, and notwithstanding the refusal of Canada to prevent our fishermen to send their fish to the home market through her territory in bond, the people of that dominion have enjoyed without diminution the advantages of our liberal and generous law. The history of events connected with this subject makes it manifest that Canadian government can if so disposed, administer its laws and protect the interests of its people without any manifestion of unfriendliness, and without making unneighborly treatment of our fishing vessels, of which we have justly complained, and whatever is done on our part should be done with the hope that the disposition of the Canadian government may remove the occasion of a resort to the additional executive power now sought through legislative action. I am satisfied that upon the principles which should govern retaliation, our intercourse and relations with the Dominion of Canada furnish us a better opportunity for its application than is suggested by the conditions herein presented, and it should not be more effectively inaugurated than under the power of suspension recommended.

CANADIAN CANALS.

I desire, also, to call the attention of Congress to another subject involving such wrong and unfair treatment to our citizens as, in my opinion, requires prompt action. The navigation of the great lakes and the immense business and carrying trade growing out of the same have been treated broadly and liberally by the U. S. government and made free to all mankind, while Canadian railway and navigation companies share in our country's transportation upon terms as favorable as are accorded to our own citizens. The canals and other public works, built along the line of the lakes are made free to all. In contrast to this condition, and evincing a narrow and ungenerous commercial spirit, every lock and canal which is a public work of the Dominion of Canada is subject to tolls and charges.

I would recommend that such legislative action be taken as will give Canadian vessels navigating our canals, and their cargoes, precisely the advantage granted in our vessels and cargoes upon Canadian canals, and that the same be measured by exactly the same rule of discrimination.

HONOR AND DIGNITY.

The course which I have outlined and the recommendation made relate to the honor and dignity of our country, and the protection and preservation of the rights and interests of all of our people. A government does but half its duty when it protects its citizens at home and permits them to be imposed upon and humiliated by the unfair and over-reaching disposition of other nations. If we invite these people to rely on the arrangements made for their benefit abroad we should see to it that they are not deceived, and if we are generous to a neighboring country our people should reap the advantage of it by a return of that liberality. These are subjects which partizanship should not disturb. Let us survey the ground calmly, and having put aside other means of settlement, if we enter upon the policy of retaliation, let us pursue it firmly, with a determination only to subserve the interests of our people and maintain the high standard and the becoming pride of American citizens.

[Signed], GROVER CLEVELAND.

Executive Mansion, Aug. 23, 1888.

VANCOUVER.

The Water Works—Wild Animals—Civic Hospital, &c.

(Special to THE TIMES.)

Vancouver, May 24—The wafer works company have received all the necessary cables, etc., for drawing the pipes across the Narrows, and are only awaiting a favorable opportunity to execute the work.

The future management of the new civic hospital is a question receiving much comment at present. The prevailing sentiment seems to be that the public should be allowed a voice in the matter.

For several weeks past the settlers to the South of False Creek have been receiving an occasional visit from a large brown bear, and on Wednesday evening a huge cougar came out to reconnoitre and after looking in amazement at the city he plunged again into the woods.

Provision has at length been made for the establishment of hack, cab, dray and express waggon stands in this city.

On Wednesday night a fire was observed blazing in the park woods. To prevent the setting out of fires in that vicinity a park warden is to be appointed to patrol the park and thus perchance save the beautiful woods from destruction.

KILLED AT WESTMINSTER.

William Hamilton Struck by a Falling Tree—Cricket Match.

Special to THE TIMES.

New Westminster, Aug. 24—The cricket match between the Vancouver and Westminster teams took place in this city yesterday. The game, which lasted seven hours, resulted as follows: First innings—Westminster, 56; Vancouver, 40; second innings—Vancouver, 83; Westminster, 35 for six wickets, when time was called. Westminster thus wins in first innings.

At Charlton's logging camp, situated above Sapperton, three miles from this city, a man named William Hamilton was accidentally killed at noon to-day while in the act of felling a tree. It appears when the tree began to fall it struck the top of a cedar, which broke off and fell on Hamilton's head, causing instant death. Deceased was a native of Windsor, N. S., and about 23 years of age. He has two brothers somewhere in this province.

TO-DAY'S DISPATCHES.

Effect of the President's Message in Montreal—Opinion of N. Y. Press.

Arrests at Ogdensburg, N. Y.—The Great Eastern Lost—Explosion.

EFFECT IN MONTREAL.

Montreal, Aug. 24—It was late last night when the news of the President's message reached here. The rumor spread like wild fire and caused a great excitement among merchants and railroad men. No body seemed to know just what to think of it and finally it was hinted that the Retaliation Act had been put in force by proclamation. Shaughnessy, Assistant General Manager of the Canadian Pacific railroad, was considerably surprised and said: "Well, it won't hurt the Canadian Pacific much, anyhow, but it will be bad for the Canada Southern, Grand Trunk and Central Vermont. It will cripple the Grand Trunk trade between Montreal and Chicago, but as far as I understand the message it will work much more disastrously to American roads. The fact is it seems to be a strategic political movement of the President to put the whole responsibility for the recent failure of the treaty negotiations upon the Republican Senate by asking congress to give him power to put forth the proclamation he asks for. It would undoubtedly be passed by the Democratic House, but would necessarily have to be ratified by the Senate, which will be obliged to stultify itself or be placed in a tight fix.

OTTAWA OPINION.

Ottawa, Aug. 23—The rejection of the Fisheries Treaty continues the absorbing topic of conversation. The impression prevails in official circles that the *modus vivendi* in connection with the treaty whose withdrawl rests with Canada will remain in effect for a year, and in the course of events expires 12 months later. None of the Cabinet Ministers entertain the possibilities of a policy of non-intercourse. Hon. C. H. Tupper, Minister of Marine and Fisheries, says that none of the licenses under the *modus vivendi* granted to American fishermen will be cancelled, but the cabinet on the return of Sir John A. Macdonald will consider the new aspect of affairs and the advisability of renewing them. Even if the present treaty is finally ratified by both countries, providing the Democrats are successful in the presidential election and in filling the eleven vacancies in the U. S. Senate next year, all the negotiations will have to be gone through with again. Four thousand dollars revenue will be derived this year from the American fishermen. English and Canadian papers deplore the rejection of the treaty, and declare it to be an example of the evils the disunionists are bringing on their country. The belief prevails here that the Canadian vessels seized in Alaskan waters will be ultimately restored to their owners.

AMERICAN OPINION.

New York, Aug. 24—The following comments appear this morning regarding President Cleveland's message urging retaliatory measures against Canada in regard to the fisheries question.

The *Herald* says: Mr. Cleveland simply tells the country that we are at loggerheads with Canada. No transit for us and no transit for them. That is the result to be adopted that will force a crisis at once. The Senate has made retaliation necessary.

The *Sun*: The message is a blow that will be effectively vital.

The *Star*: Should England meet us in a proper spirit and withdraw the notice of 1886 to abolish discriminating tolls and refrain from injustice to our fishermen, the retaliatory law need not be put into effect.

EDMUNDS' OPINION.

Washington, Aug. 24—The President's message was read in the Senate to-day. Edmunds, speaking on it, says the President has for two years had ample opportunity for protection of American citizens in Canadian waters, but has failed to exercise it.

YELLOW FEVER.

Jacksonville, Aug. 24—Two deaths from yellow fever last night. Although the disease has not become really epidemic it threatens to do so, but heroic work is still being done to stamp it out.

Jacksonville, Fla., Aug. 24—An official report says: In the past 24 hours, new cases, 16; deaths, 2; recovered, 2; under treatment, 43; total number of cases to date, 70; number of deaths to date, 10.

AN EARTHQUAKE.

Stevenson, Fla., Aug. 24—A heavy shock of earthquake was felt here this morning at 20 minutes before 6 o'clock and alarmed the residents. Nearly all rushed into the streets. The shock lasted several seconds and shook up many buildings severely.

MILL DESTROYED.

Philadelphia, Aug. 24—The fire last night destroyed Cedar Hill Cotton and Woolen Mill at Darly. Loss, $75,000.

THE OCEAN RACE.

New York, Aug. 24—The steamship Maine has just arrived from Bremen and reports that the Umbria lead the City of New York by about 75 miles in the race across the Atlantic, when sighted on the 19th.

UNTHINKING HUSBAND.

New York, Aug. 24—Mrs. Wilbam Burrow, an invalid, was fatally cut by her husband in the abdomen last night with a razor, then cut her throat, and dying in a short time. Burrow had twitted his wife of late about her condition. She feared he would leave her and the tragedy was the result.

CONTRACT LABOR.

Boston, Aug. 24—The Congressional Immigration Investigation Committee today began to gather evidence relating to the alleged violation of the contract labor law by Boston firms. The hearing begins on Monday and will last three days. The committee will then discontinue their work until after the election, when they will go to San Francisco.

THE NEW BRUNSWICK TRAGEDY.

St. John, N. B., Aug. 24—The first act in the Tobique tragedy was finished last night when the coroner's jury brought in a verdict that Susan Howse came to her death by a rifle shot in the hands of Wm. Day, Frank Trafton and Henry Phillipson, and that these men were guilty of wilful murder. The evidence was very strong against the prisoners, but it is doubtful whether it will be sufficiently convincing for a jury to convict them of murder. Day, the oldest man of the three says he can prove an *alibi*. The others also assert their innocence. Phillipson said he was a native of London, Eng., and came to this province two years ago from Halifax. He farmed in Annapolis Valley two years, and his father, who died about a year ago, was for a time agent at Halifax of a steamship line.

MORE ARRESTS.

Buffalo, Aug. 24—A Deputy United States Marshal caused a sensation in Ogdensburg yesterday by arresting three of its most reputable citizens; John Westone, lawyer, Nathaniel H. Little, deputy collector of customs, and W. J. Cuminsky, janitor of the customs house. The warrants for their arrest were sworn out before United States commissioner here by special agents of the treasury department at Washington, charging them with stealing 770 pounds of prepared opium from the custom house at Ogdensburg. This is the outcome of the arrest of Ervin R. Gardner, which took place at Ogdensburg last winter, when he and his cousin Ephraim Gardner, were captured with nearly $20,000 worth of opium in their possession.

SIR HENRY TYLER.

Montreal, Aug. 24—Sir Henry Tyler has gone west. Mr. Hickson, General Manager, and Mr. Sargent, went west on Monday to meet their chief. Mr. Hannaford, Chief Engineer, and Mr. Stevenson, General Superintendent, have also gone west to meet the President. It is expected Sir Henry will make an inspection tour of all the western divisions and also visit Vancouver before visiting Montreal.

ANTARTIC EXPEDITION.

Berlin, Aug. 24—Emperor William has promised Professor Neumayer, director of the Marine observatory at Hamburg that the Government will supply him with naval material for the proposed expedition to investigate the physical and meteorological phenomena in the antartic regions which has been projected by Hy. Villard.

THE GREAT EASTERN ADRIFT.

London, Aug. 24—Last night as the tug Stormiegon was towing the dismantled hull of the Great Eastern from the Clyde to Liverpool the hawser parted. A heavy sea was running and before the tug could make fast again the Great Eastern vanished in the darkness. She was laboring heavy, and floated off to the westward.

THURMAN'S PROGRESS.

Port Huron, Mich., Aug. 24—Judge Thurman and party left for Chicago this morning, accompanied by a delegation from Chicago.

Flint, Mich., Aug. 24—Judge Thurman was well received at all points along the route. At Flint in response to urgent calls he made a brief speech.

SIR JOHN IN CAPE BRETON.

St. Peters, C. B., Aug. 24—Sir John and Lady Macdonald arrived yesterday morning to take a trip to Bras D'Or Lakes to-day. They return to Ottawa on Saturday.

GAMBLER SHOT.

Montreal, Aug. 24—Hank Hicky a well known gambler in the eastern townships was shot twice yesterday afternoon at Bedford, on the track of the Bedford trotting races, being badly wounded. His assailant was arrested.

THE FRENCH SQUADRON.

Toulon, Aug. 24—The equipment of eight ironclads ordered by the Minister of Marine for the reinforcement of the Mediterranean squadron, is completed, and they will proceed at once to Hyeres. Four dispatch vessels and torpedo boats will accompany them. Admiral Anet will direct the manoeuvres.

BURYING THE VICTIMS.

Neenah, Wis., Aug. 24—Ten of the victims of yesterday's explosion were buried to-day. The shops are all closed here and at Menasha large concourses of citizens and town officials followed the remains. The funeral was at the city's expense. No additional deaths have occurred.

POWDER WORKS EXPLODE.

Oakland, Cal., Aug. 24—At fifteen minutes past eleven this morning an explosion occurred at the drying house of the giant powder works, a mile beyond West Berkeley. The building, 40 by 120, was entirely destroyed and the roof carried one hundred yards. Twenty thousand pounds of black powder exploded and the debris is spread over several acres. Two white and three Chinamen were killed, two of the bodies being burned beyond recognition. The white men, Joe Lawles, aged 55, unmarried, and Chris Bruce, who leaves a wife and three children. Peter Jansen was burned about the head and arms quite seriously, but he will probably recover. The debris caught fire and a large force of men were kept at work to prevent the fire from getting to the magazine. Loss, $10,000.

From the North.

(Special to THE TIMES.)

Nanaimo, Aug. 24—The Princess Louise with the excursion party on board, arrived at Comox this morning and will reach Victoria to-morrow, probably in the afternoon. She has the officers and men of C Battery on board.

Change in Business.

It is understood that Mr. Henry Waller has bought out the clothing store of Mr. Arthur Homles, Yates street, and will assume charge next month. Mr. Waller, who was formerly proprietor of Redgrave & Ella's candy factory on Fort, is one of Victoria's oldest and most worthy citizens and is sure to command his share of the trade. Mr. Holmes contemplates a visit to old England, which he left in 1871.

Wedding Bells.

Last evening at the residence of the bride's parents, Victoria West, Mr. J. W. Cherry, of the firm of Case & Cherry, Government St., was united in marriage to Miss L. Oldershaw. Miss E. Oldershaw acted as bridesmaid and Mr. E. W. Case as groomsman. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Mr. Rugg. The young couple have taken up their residence in Victoria and have the best wishes of the TIMES for happiness and prosperity.

Mrs and Miss Seabrook will leave tomorrow night for Eastern Canada and Philadelphia to visit friends. Miss Seabrook will attend an art school there and will not return for two years. They go east over the C P R.

Mrs Henry Waller and two of the family leave on a trip to the east this evening.

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AN OBNOXIOUS SCHOOL TAX.

The new government organ has wrestled with the school tax for the second time and with no greater success than attended its maiden effort as a government touter. The article is not worthy of any notice, further than it will not be amiss to point out that in the mass of verbiage by which the real question—the special tax upon special districts—is obscured, the writer boldly proclaims his adhesion to the pernicious principle that it is just and equitable, and in keeping with wise and beneficient legislation, that one citizen should be compelled by statute to pay a tax which another is exempt from paying. It will only be charitable, however, for the public to believe that the newly-fledged organ is not conversant with the subject which it attempts to expound, for it is painfully evident that the writer has not read the law—or having read has failed to grasp its meaning.

We will endeavor to assist our contemporary to a proper conception of the injustice that has been done Victoria, by putting the case plainly. The government, which for purely patriotic purposes the old opposition organ now supports, at the last session of the Legislature passed an amendment to the school law. This amendment among other changes, imposed a new tax upon the cities, and upon the cities only, the rural municipalities and unorganized districts not being included. Hitherto the whole expenditure for education has been borne by all the people, as the amount expended for school purposes was taken out of the general revenues of the province. The amendment placed upon Victoria an additional tax of $6000, and upon other cities relatively large burdens, while the rich farmers and opulent ranchers of the interior, and the wealthy merchants of Kamloops, Barkerville and other trading centres of the province, who are certainly as well able to bear an increase of taxation as the poor people of the cities, go scot free! Are we to be told that such a law as that is just? It may require an algebraic demonstration to prove to the satisfaction of the new convert that the practice of robbing "PETER to pay PAUL" is common larceny, but the production of evidence of a robbery will satisfy less dull-witted and more disinterested people that a wrong is thereby committed. Larceny is a crime, and it is not necessary in a court of law, or in social or business life, to show that the well-being of the community, depends upon its being so classified. The proposition is self-evident in either case. The government, by this amendment, is in the position of the highway robber who levies tribute, not upon all alike, but upon those who, in his opinion, can best stand the loss and are numerically too weak to resist the demand.

Of course the law is unpopular; unjust and tyrannical laws always are. The only extraordinary thing about it is that it is not universally resisted and that one individual can be found in Victoria who has the temerity to defend it. In being disloyal to the government the council is loyal to the people, and in resisting payment of the tax it will have the moral and financial support of the whole city, with one solitary exception.

RETALIATION OR REVENGE.

President CLEVELAND yesterday communicated a message to the Congress of the United States in respect to the question of retaliation which has awakened intense interest if not excitement from one end of Canada to the other. Like all similar documents it is more or less ambiguous, which makes it very difficult by a cursory glance at its provisions to understand the purport and to state its object in a few words. From an independent standpoint it looks much like a clever strategic movement on the part of Mr. CLEVELAND to throw the responsibility for the defeat of the treaty where it properly belongs. The course taken by the President will compel the Republican Senate which has refused to settle the difficulties between the two countries to give effect to hostile measures with Canada or refusing to do so accept an embarrassing and humiliating position. The American people have been disposed to view their fishermen as the victims of Canadian aggression. They maintained that the Canadian interpretations of the treaty of 1819 was unwarranted and unjustifiable. The Democratic administration made itself a party to an amicable settlement of the difficulty, but the Republican Senate refused to ratify the agreement. They are therefore invited to take measures to uphold the national honor which they consider at stake, and to give effect to reprisals upon Canada. The Republican party are quite as unwilling to shoulder the consequence of such a step as the Democrats, so that it is needless to discuss the effect of retaliation upon this country till there is more prospects of having to face it. Retaliation is only another word for revenge, and revenge is too base a motive for the head of a great nation to be actuated by. Even if the Great Republic choses to regard Canada as a culprit the motive would be unworthy of her, inasmuch as civilized communities do not punish wrong-doers for revenge but rather as a warning to others. The Retaliation Act of March 3rd, 1887, is in any event considered imperfect and the fact that the President refuses to enforce it as it was threatened he would do, the fact that he requests further powers and less ambiguous instructions indicates plainly the caution which he will move in the matter as well as his evident disbelief that retaliation would be sanctioned by the majority of the American people. It should be remembered that much of what is going on in Washington at this time is done with a view of making the parties solid with the electors. It would be too much to expect either Republicans or Democrats to stop short of anything which would attain that object.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The immigration returns for July were 19,621 against 15,331 in the same month last year. The arrivals from January 1st were 104,164 against 86,076 for the same period in 1887.

Queen Victoria knows how it is herself. She is a tenant. She rented Abergeldie estate from a Mr. Gordon and wants new buildings. Gordon won't build, and if Her Majesty puts up the edifices she will lose them when she gives up the estate, as many unfortunate tenants have had to do. It would be rather funny to have the trouble grow until Gordon evicted Victoria after great resistance.

The Globe prints a lengthy interview with Mr. Wells, in which that gentleman is reported as saying that he was much struck during his journey by observing "the silent influences assimilating Canadian thought and interests with those of the United States. Among these are the interchange of population on both sides of the line, the extension of trade, the increase of international investments, the ready acceptance of the currency of the country at different points, the large circulation of American magazine literature, which makes New York, the literary centre of the Dominion as it is of the United States, and the interest taken in each country in matters relating to the other. All these things show, he says, that the bonds of union between the people of both nations are in process of extension by natural and irresistable influences in a manner without precedent in history."

Toronto Week: "If anything were wanting to show how completely the project of Imperial Federation is outside the range of practical politics in Canada, the want was supplied by the outspoken declaration of the three French-Canadian Members of the Government, at the Joliette meeting the other day. The Secretary of State and the Minister of Public Works vied with each other in the distinctness and emphasis with which they pronounced against the scheme as dangerous to Canadian liberties, while even the Minister of Militia who, as representing the military sentiment to which the proposed federation especially appeals, might be expected to regard it with special favor, considered the question as not ripe for discussion. These utterances conjoined with those of the Premier of Quebec on former occasions, may be taken to represent the unanimous sentiment of the French Canadians of the Dominion. However much it is to be regretted that the opposition to this or any movement should thus assume a radial aspect, the fact itself is too significant to be ignored. It is difficult to see how the most sanguine friends of Imperial Federation can think it worth while to continue the advocacy of a scheme which, it is clear, would have arrayed against it at the outset, all the French Canadians in the Confederation in solid phalanx. Success, under such circumstances, could hardly be possible, save at the cause of disruption, or civil war."

The bill recently passed by both Houses of the United States Congress, looking to the holding of an international conference to discuss the terms of a proposed reciprocal trade union with all the nations of Central and South America, is not without interest for Canadians, though for, obvious reasons, Canada can have no part in such a conference. The aim of the bill, as explained by Congressman Townsend, of Illinois, who introduced it and carried it through Congress, is simply to promote liberal and mutually advantageous trade relations, without in any way affecting the national or political status of those who may become parties to it. If Canada is to maintain and increase her present rate of growth and progress, it is clear that she must extend as rapidly as possible her foreign commerce. If the policy of protecting and stimulating manufacturing industries is to become permanently successful, markets must be found abroad for surplus productions. Such markets ought eventually to be found, to a considerable extent, in the countries of Central and South America, with whom it should be possible to establish a system of profitable exchange of commodities. It is evident, therefore, that should any such trade union, as that contemplated, be formed between the independent nations of the continent, with discrimination against the outside world as its basis, the result would be seriously detrimental to Canadian trade prospects. The projected conference will, it is said, take place within a few months. Should the scheme be successful, and Canada find herself at a disadvantage to consequence, the effect may probably be to revive discussion of the question long since broached by Mr. Blake and others, whether Canada has not reached the stage at which she should have the framing of her own commercial treaties.

A SHOCKING REVELATION.

Heinous Charge Against a Teacher of Languages.

Prof. Carl Woege, an educated German who has been employed as a teacher of Latin, Greek and German in several families in Seattle, was arrested on the charge of having taken improper liberties with a nine-year-old daughter of George Probst. The little girl was unable to appear in court and the case was continued for two days. Prof. Woege was committed to jail in default of $1500 bail. He positively denied the charge but appeared somewhat confused and his statements were slightly contradictory. This may possibly be accounted for by the fact that his knowledge of English is very limited. While the charge is not that of criminal assault it is one of a very serious nature. Last Thursday night the little girl was taken quite ill and then made the accusation against Prof. Woege to her parents. She said he had been guilty of improper conduct for some time but she had not mentioned it to her parents before, as he had warned her that to do so would disgrace her forever. An elder sister corroborated the charge. Mr. Probst was naturally violently enraged and nearly distracted at the revelation. He sent for Dr. Kriegk, who is inclined to credit the charge.

Woege is an intelligent and refined appearing man. He has been in Seattle some time and Mr. Probst has befriended him substantially. He was a Lutheran minister in the old country and has been connected with the Seattle *Tribune*, the German paper. He is very non-communicative about his past history, and has continually refused to tell his German friends where he had been previous to coming to Seattle. They even offered to secure for him the pastorate of a church if he would produce recommendations from other places, but he refused the offer.

CANADIAN NEWS.

Latest Happenings in the Eastern Provinces.

A petition has been filed against the return of Thompson, the Reform member elect for Emerson, Man., on the grounds of furnishing intoxicants and giving money.

Tracklaying on the Red River Valley road is now twelve miles from Winnipeg. The work on the extension to Portage la Prairie is being forwarded.

Currency is given officially to a statement that the Hudson Bay Railroad promoters has been successful in making arrangements with leading German and English bankers. An offer is said to have been made to complete the road in two and a half years. Onderdonk and other promoters of the enterprise are expected in Winnipeg in a few days.

Wheat harvesting has commenced in some parts of Manitoba, but in many localities it will be a week or ten days yet before anything is done.

Allan Davis, a Canadian Pacific brakeman, of Carleton, was run over by a train at West Toronto junction and killed.

A farmer named John Peers was run over on Saturday at Toronto by a runaway, and it is believed he is fatally injured.

The Quebec government has received from the papal government a decree ratifying the Jesuit estate settlement.

Dr. Edge, a young physician of Frois Pistoles, was accidentally drowned on 18th.

R. J. Teff, veterinary surgeon, aged 78, died suddenly at Port Elgin, Ont., last week.

Our Barracks.

Ottawa *Free Press*. It is stated that the intention of Sir Adolphe Caron is to use the three huts built at Victoria, B.C., for C Battery, in order to accommodate them for about twelve months. There appears to have been considerable bother throughout the whole business. Originally the site of the new barracks was fixed at another point. This had to be abandoned on account of a mistake having been made in regard to the lease. A new site was secured but by this time the vote for building the barracks had lapsed. Sir Adolphe then determined to provide a temporary accommodation with the surplus from other appropriations. Accordingly the huts before mentioned were erected. These will not, however, last for very long, and the Minister of Militia will be compelled to demand a forty or fifty thousand dollar vote to erect permanent barracks.

A Pathetic Lawyer.

A Nevada lawyer recently defended a Chinaman who was on trial for some misdeed. He told the jury that the Chinaman was a lone and helpless stranger in a strange land; that he should be dealt with leniently; that he had parents and a family in distant Cathay who would weep their hearts out if he were convicted. He embraced the Chinaman; he put his arms around his neck and wept bitter tears of agony on his blouse. The jury acquitted him. The Chinaman in his gratitude came up after the trial and shook hands fervently with the lawyer.

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The Major took a stroll yesterday afternoon towards the junction of Government and Douglas streets to have a look at his favorite, the long neglected fountain. He found a small drop of water in the pan, the fountain was not playing, the dust seemed to smother everything about it, from the Cupid's nose on top (is it a cupid?) to the ruffled feathers of the patient looking bitterns beneath, who seem to be patiently waiting for a drop of water to cool their parched tongues. The weeds were still there, but not the thistles. The drinking fountain has not had its cups replaced. The whole thing looked still more dilapidated than before. It seems that it would almost be a charity to have the fountain removed; as in its present state it is no credit to the rich and beautiful city of Victoria. Either let it be properly looked after, or send it over to the Albion Works and have it recast into water pipes, valves or some other useful article for the Water Commissioner.

The nuisance man, or as he designates himself, the "Sanitary Officer," has not seen to the cleaning of the open drain at the gas works. It smells just as bad now as it did the day the camel held his nose. No wonder we have sickness and the angel of death busy amongst us. It is said that "cleanliness is next to godliness;" now if we become godly, we'll become clean, or if we become clean, we'll become godly, which you like. Both ends are very desirable and the winner the change takes place the better. Come, now, Mr. Sanitary Officer," get a move on; you're getting too fat. How do you manage it? Is it the smell of the open sewer almost beneath your bed-room window? Have those sewers complained of cleaned up and plenty of disinfectants used.

Oh! rejoice, ye jolly cab drivers, ye noisy draymen, ye butcher boys! Join with the maidens of James Bay and have a hoe down on the bridge by the moonlight, for the bridge is thrown open to you. It is the same old bridge with the same wrinkles on its countenance. There's no fear, but you'll know it on this score, for not a single one has been removed; taken altogether it is just the same old six and eightpence it was before. It is a pity that when it began to go, it didn't go the whole hog or none. It is surely a healthy-looking bridge with the spring of youth and the wrinkles of premature age, an example of the mistakes of city management.

My dear "Miss Burkholder," the Major is given to understand that he has made a grave *mis* take when he *mis*-named you. That horrid Jubilee Hospital site is a long sight too much for the Major's poor nerves. There has been wasted in printer's ink and brains(?) sufficient almost to pay for a site, in all of which the main sight seems to have been entirely lost. Why all this bickering and bad talk? Wouldn't it be more Christian like had the parsons spoken up long ago? not leaving things till the very last. They are not a bad lot, the parsons, if taken in the right way. They are a little lazy, except when playing tennis or any galavanting game for the display of their muscle and activity. You know that The Major would do anything in the world for his fair friends, if he had the power and it would please them, especially those two angels of mercy mentioned by him. He'd put the hospital anywhere so long as it met with their approbation; and could the old chap invoke the genii of the lamp he would have it built by next Sunday at latest. But then he's not Alladin, nor yet a genii for good or evil. In all conscience, this hospital question seems too much altogether for The Major and the public. Can't Miss Burkholder and her companion angel, Miss Annie Spencer, suggest a site. The Major being a stranger is not sufficiently acquainted with the neighborhood to recommend one. If he had his way he would put the hospital some way down the Esquimalt, Gorge, or Craigflower roads, with a good view of the sea and plenty of sea breeze, he being a firm believer in plenty of ozone for the health of the human system. Why not get to work at once and do something, instead of talking so much. Actions speak louder than words.

Yes, Mr. Pearse, your hospital is a long way from the "Brown Jug," or do you want it nearer? Surely two and a half miles is near enough. You don't want a public house at the hospital gates, do you? If so, you'd better suggest that they start a canteen at once, you for pot man and the Major at the bar. There's one thing, anyway, we would be honest and not like some and stick to the takings. Now, Mr. Pearse, in your superabundance of loyalty about our most gracious lady, the Queen, God bless her, don't you know some are ill-natured enough to insinuate that it is none but the disloyal and annexationists that first raised the cry of opposition, in order to thwart any token of your loyalty? This antagonistic society is working in secret; the Major has his eye on them, and may spoil their little game yet. Now, what does it matter about water supply if you want to get nearer the "Brown Jug." You're like the Major, perhaps, for the "cream you take in your tay is whiskey, O!"

There are a lot of picnics on the tapis, all at once—social, church and Sunday school—and all so soon after the thieving circus men have been here. "Why," as a learned divine exclaimed, "there's no use in having an excursion now if we intend to make any money; there's none left after that circus. We must put it off." And they did for a week. And very proper too. It shows judgment. The beard must be permitted to grow before we can shave. The parson believes in shaving when there is a good crop.

To the roll of our proposed societies should be added that of one for "the suppression of vice and the protection of women and children." The need of such a society is made quite apparent by the recent Menzies case, which, taken in any light, was a disgrace to us as a community. The onus of that celebrated case was left entirely to THE TIMES, J. E. Gardner and the Rev. Mr. Starr, long may his star be in the ascendant and shine as brightly through the darkness of our moral night as it has shone in this affair. Don't drop this idea, ye Reverend Signors, because it has emanated from the fertile brain (if any of)— [illegible]

THE HOSPITAL.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES:

SIR:—I have seen a good many offensive *pros* and *cons* relative to the hospital site; now I wish to state one fact that I am personally cognisant of, *i. e*, in '58 or '59 a ship came to Liverpool from the Orient with several cases of so-called low typhoid fever aboard. The men were carried on stretchers to the Southern Hospital, situated in a crowded neighborhood in the south end of Liverpool. The result was many caught the infection; in one or two instances nearly a whole family was wiped out. I, for one, as the father of children, don't want a pest house of any description too close. Yours, &c. SAM'L CLAY.

Smoke "Derby" Cigarettes.

THE QUALITY OF MERCY.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES:

SIR:—I see that just now there is going on an agitation on the subject of "cruelty to animals," but while we advocate the mercy of man towards the brute creation surely that mercy should in a higher degree be shown by him to his fellow-being, and help is seldom withheld when needed, and still more rarely refused when asked for. But sometimes this is the case, for a friend of mine, who recently unfortunately fell down in his garden and broke his leg, being in great pain and unable to rise, the assistance of his next door neighbor and brother mason was asked for, but *help*, this modern Levite refused. My unfortunate friend was left lying on the ground for half an hour before other help could be obtained, when the good samaritan (another neighbor) appeared, volunteering to do anything in his power and driving for medical aid. HUMANITY.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

NEPHEW OF DICKENS.

Los Angeles, Aug. 22—Arthur W. Dickens, who is believed to be a nephew of Charles Dickens, the English novelist, was found dead in his room to-day with a bullet hole in his right temple. He came here from Denver, Colo., about a year ago and obtained a position as billiard maker. He left a letter saying that he was perfectly sane when he was about to take his life, and that having lived over fifty years as a Bohemian, being weary of life and finding his financial relations straitened, he took this way of solving the problem.

THE EMPRESS VICTORIA.

London, Aug. 18—The Empress Victoria was last week informed that Emperor William has assigned four of the royal residences to her, which will be kept up by the state. She has to leave Neue Palais at Potsdam, which has been her country abode ever since her marriage, and gets instead the neighboring Charlottenhof, a beautiful and unique Italian villa, which is splendidly decorated and furnished. On the ground is a Roman bath-house with jasper bath. The Schloss at Hamburg, long the residence of Princess Elizabeth, of Hesse-Hamburg, daughter of George III; the Schloss at Weizbaden, and the Crown Princess' palace in Berlin are also given her for life, as well as the farm of Bornstadt, near Potsdam.

A Warning.

The modes of death's approach are various, and statistics show conclusively that more persons die from diseases of the throat and lungs than any other. It is probable that everyone, without exception, receives vast numbers of tubercle germs into the system and when these germs fall upon suitable soil they start into life and develop, at first slowly and is shown by a slight tickling sensation in the throat and if allowed to continue their ravages they extend to the head, causing catarrh. Now all this is dangerous and if allowed to proceed will in time cause death. At the onset you must act with promptness; allowing a cold to go without attention is dangerous and may lose you your life. As soon as you feel that something is wrong with your throat, lungs or nostrils, obtain a bottle of Boschee's German Syrup. It will give you immediate relief.

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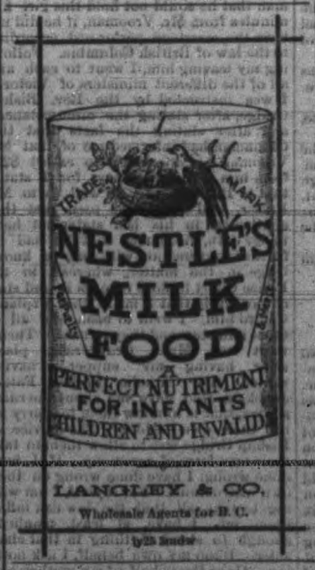

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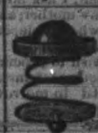

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For Supplying Winter Clothing for the City Police Force.

Specification of what is required can be seen on application to the Superintendent of Police, City Hall.

By order,

JAMES D. ROBINSON,

City Clerk.

Victoria, 17th May, 1888. m17

Municipal Debentures.

APPLICATION FOR DEBENTURES TO the extent of $30,000, issued by authority of the Johnson Street Sewer By-Law, 1888.

Also $20,000 issued by authority of the Water Works Loan By-Law, 1882.

Will be received at the office of the undersigned up to 4 o'clock p. m., on the 22nd day of August, 1888.

The Corporation do not bind themselves to accept any tender.

JAMES D. ROBINSON,

C. M. C.

City Hall, Victoria, 2 August, 1888 aug2

MISCELLANEOUS.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

MRS. VIGOR HAS REMOVED HER Fancy and Dry Goods business from the corner of Pembroke and Douglas Streets, to the corner of Chatham and Douglas Streets, where she will be pleased to have a continuance of the patronage so kindly bestowed upon her formerly. jy31 1m

DISSOLUTION.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXISTING between Jno. Teague, Jr., and Robt. Atwood, under the firm name of R. ATWOOD & CO., Druggists, Yates St., has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.

R. ATWOOD.

J. TEAGUE, Jr.

The business will in future be conducted by J. Teague, Jr., who will collect all accounts, and pay all indebtedness of the late firm. While thanking the public for the liberal patronage extended to Atwood & Co., I beg to solicit a continuance of the same. The services of Mr. Kellogg, a competent druggist have been secured to take charge of the dispensing department.

J. TEAGUE, JR.,

No. 98 Yates Street.

Victoria, July 21, 1888. jy21 1m

"Land Registry Ordinance, 1870."

Subdivision No. 2, of Lot 5, of Suburban Lot No. 11, Esquimalt District.

A CERTIFICATE OF INDEFEASIBLE Title to the above mentioned Subdivision will be issued to William Charles White, on the 10th November, 1888, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to the undersigned, in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest in said subdivision or some portion thereof.

CHAS. J. LEGGATT,

Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office, Victoria, 10th August, 1888. aug16 3m

DOMINION GOVERNMENT

SAVINGS BANK

DEPOSITORS ARE REQUESTED TO PRESENT their Pass Books at the office on Government street for insertion of the accrued interest at the 30th June 1888.

JOHN GRAHAM,

Assistant Receiver General.

Victoria Aug 2nd 1888. aug3-1m

NOTICE.

In the Matter of the Estate of Herbert A. Harrison, Deceased.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED in any way to the estate of the said deceased or to the Victoria Coal, Wood & Lumber Yard for coal or wood supplied are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness forthwith, and all persons having claims against the said estate or against the said Coal, Wood & Lumber Yard on account of the coal and wood business there, are requested to send particulars thereof to C. E. Mallette, attorney in fact for the undersigned at the office of the Victoria Coal, Wood & Lumber Yard, Government street, Victoria, before the 25th day of Sept. 1888. BETSY HENDERSON,

Administratrix.

Victoria, B. C., Aug. 21st, 1888. aug22-1m

Quesnelle Quartz Mining Co., Ld.

Location of Works, Hixon Creek, B.C.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that at a meeting of the Trustees of said Company held on August 16th, 1888, an assessment of one cent per share was levied upon the Capital Stock of said Company, payable forthwith at the office of the Company, Quesnelle, B. C. Any Stock upon which said assessment shall remain unpaid on the 20th September, 1888, shall be deemed delinquent, and will be duly advertised for sale by Public Auction, and unless payment shall be made before will be sold on the 31st October, 1888, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with costs of advertising and expenses of the sale.

W. A. JOHNSTON,

Secretary.

Quesnelle, B. C., Aug. 17, 1888. aug22 2w wim

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"Land Registry Ordinance, 1870."

Part of Lot No. 180, in the City of Victoria.

A CERTIFICATE OF INDEFEASIBLE Title to the above mentioned part of said Lot will be issued to Felix Lelaire, on the 29th day of September, 1888, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to the undersigned, in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest in said part of said Lot or some portion thereof.

CHAS. JAS. LEGGATT,

Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office, Victoria, 28th June, 1888. jel28 3m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, 60 days after date, we intend making application to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 8,000 acres of land, situate on Queen Charlotte Island, and described as follows:—

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Victoria, 19th June, 1888. jy-13

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Per steamer Yosemite from Vancouver—Chas Sloan, J Lenz, R Drummond, Dr W A Johnston, Captain R Coath, W A Camrow, L Cates, Mrs Johnston, R P Rithet, Mrs Rithet, maid and family, J E Fisher, C D McKay, W B Smith, E Wadham, Mrs Jennie Kerr, Geo Kerr, Jr, Mdam Baillaings, G Baillaings, W G McTir, Mdam Baillaings, G Baillaings, W G McGarigle, J G McDonald, Sergt Jno McLaren, A D Lewis, W Turnbull, J C Norris, J D Lomas, J T Appleton, R B Sinclair, Simon Leiser, Mayor J Grant, W A Codo, H L Smith, W Francis, J Watson, Mrs R W Spencer, Mrs T L Briggs, Mrs G Cox, G Cox, F P Lindley, Mrs McDonald, E Morris, A B Gray, Johan Perney, Mrs E Lewis, Miss Sorenson, W Musgrave, M Francis, Annette Magee.

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DIED.

COOK—At Swan Lake, of consumption, on the 23rd inst., William, eldest son of William and Catherine Cook, aged 23 years and 9 months.

The funeral will take place on Saturday next, at 3 o'clock, a. m., from the parents residence, Lachine Cottage, near Swan Lake, and at nine o'clock from St. Andrew's Catholic Cathedral. Friends are invited.

CITY AND PROVINCE.

—Ice Cream at Stein's.

—Kurtz's Jubilee Cigars are now ready.

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—George Vienna exhibits a salmon weighing fifty pounds.

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Death.

Ethel May, infant child of George and Emily Atkinson, View street, died this morning. The child was nine months' old.

Fruit Jars and Jellies.

Mason's Porcelain Lined Fan and Mason's Improved Gem Jars, in pints, quarts and half gallons; also Tin and Glass Top Jellies, all sizes, at lowest prices, at John Weiler's, Fort street.

Hendry vs. The Corporation.

This matter came up this morning before Mr. Justice Gray; on motion for judgment His Lordship ordered judgment to be entered for the plaintiff for the sum of $750 and costs, in accordance with the findings of the jury. Mr. Fell for the plaintiff; Mr. T. Davie for the defendant.

Lost on the Steamer.

Supt. Bloomfield received the following telegram this morning: "Adam Richmond, drowned on the Chester, has a brother, carpenter, in Victoria. A. CORFLAND, 314 Third street." It is reported that a brother of the drowned man is employed at Mr. S. Gray's stair-building manufactory on Chatham street.

Arrived!

Bass XXXX Ale (Lamb's Wool) at the Occidental Hotel bar.

Donation.

Mr. Garland, steward of the Royal Hospital returns thanks to Miss Paulin Fernandais for a box of apples. Should any charitably disposed persons donate clothing they will confer a great favor on the poor patients.

Clearance Sale.

A discount boot and shoe sale is now on at the People's Boot and Shoe Store at 47 Johnson street. Bargains for everybody.

After a Prisoner.

Sergt. McLaren, of the Vancover police, arrived on the Yosemite last night. He comes to get possession of a prisoner, Evangel Appustel, who was arrested on a telegram to Chief Bloomfield for stealing a revolver from Joseph Izen. He will return with his charge to-morrow morning.

☞ Don't forget the Picnic To-morrow. Trains at 8:20 a. m., 1:20 p. m. and 3:32 p. m. Return Tickets, One Dollar; Children between 5 and 12, 50 cts.

Government Appointments.

Walter B. Anderson, a well known resident of this city, has been appointed Government agent, collector and constable at Comox. Mr. Anderson was constable at Port Simpson for some time.

Northing P. Snowden, has been appointed Justice of the Peace for the county of Victoria.

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Incoming Passengers.

San Francisco, Aug. 24—Passengers by the Umatilla for Victoria: J Sullivan, J H Webb and wife, Captain W R Clarke and wife, C M Page, J McDonald, R H McDonald, Jr, J W Shaw, J Minknown, H Cartwright, W Cartwright and wife, Mrs Captain Ryder, J S Eastwood, Mrs Gibson and nurse, S Wild, Mrs H E Ward, R C Ward and Mrs J C Danow.

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It is announced that tickets for the excursion to Port Townsend, Port Angeles and Crescent Bay on Sunday, may be procured at the O. R. & N. Co.'s office on Government street, during Saturday (to-morrow) and at the wharf on Sunday morning. State rooms can also be secured at the company's office any time on Saturday. As the weather is fine, there will doubtless be a very large number of tickets sold. The steamer has ample accommodation and there is no danger of crowding.

Lesson for Victorians.

The Imperial Government contractor at Halifax for bread having run away, the naval authorities are asking new tenders for bread, biscuit and flour for the supply of the Royal Navy at that station. The sureties on the army contract will probably carry out their responsibilities by running the bakery until the end of the year. It is said that in Halifax nearly every army contractor for bread and meat for many years back has either been ruined or seriously crippled by the close competition for these government contracts.

B. C. Rifle Team.

The appeal of Capt. Fletcher and other officers to our citizens for assistance to send a rifle team to the Ottawa competition has been successful, sufficient money having been subscribed for the purpose. The team is as follows: Sergt. J. C. Newbury, in charge, Sergt. Beckwith, Sergt. Roper, Gunner Cullin, of Victoria; and Pt. J. W. Sharpe, of New Westminster. They will leave for Ottawa to-morrow night and will arrive there in time for the opening of the competition of the Dominion Rifle Association on 3rd Sept. We have no doubt our representatives will give a good account of themselves.

Mr. T. C. Wells, Chemist and Druggist, Port Colborne, Ont., writes: "Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery and Dyspeptic Cure sells well, and gives the best of satisfaction for all diseases of the blood." It never fails to root out all diseases from the system, cures Dyspepsia, Liver Complaint, etc., purifies the Blood, and will make you look the picture of health and happiness.

The Troubadors.

Salisbury's Troubadors are deservedly popular with that class of theatre-goers who enjoy side-splitting farces made up of ridiculous situations, fun-provoking dialogue and popular songs, with just enough of a plot to create an excuse for giving a name to the melange of comedy and song. "Humming bird" is equal to "Fun in the Green Room," or any other of the broad burlesques that have established the Troubadors in popular favor. Nellie McHenry is still the bright particular star, and she has lost none of vivacity that originally made a place for her on the stage. She sets the people to laughing every time she appears, and the immense audiences at Hooley's last evening were loth to part with her at any time during the performance. Miss McHenry is not the whole of the show however. The entire company is competent to handle the various parts of the play. The singing and the costuming of the lady members are exceptionally fine. In reviewing the well-worn but ever-pleasing airs of "Home, Sweet Home," and "Way down upon the Swanee River," a sympathetic chord is touched, and the comicalities are so admirably intermingled with the musical features of the performance that it is but natural for the actors and auditors to be en rapport from beginning to end. Patrons of the stage, who never tire of Hoyt's successes, who seek amusement in the literal sense of the word and who believe in the adage "Laugh and grow fat," will find rich sources of enjoyment in "The Humming Bird."—*The Chicago News.*

Smoke Sultana Cigarettes.

KWONG ON LUNG.

A Prominent and Charitable Chinaman, Dies Yesterday.

Mr. Lee Yau Kan, a Chinese merchant, who has been for some years well and favorably known to the white merchants in this city by the name of Kwong On Lung, under which name he had been doing business in this city, died at 10 o'clock yesterday a.m., at his residence on Cormorant street. The deceased was highly respected by his own countrymen, and by not a few of the people of other nationalities. As a merchant he was honest and upright, his word being always as good as his bond. As a man he was kind, affable to all, and exceedingly generous towards those who were in need, having helped most liberally towards maintaining the soup kitchens that were erected a couple of winters ago for the support of his destitute countrymen, towards succoring the injured in the Nanaimo mine explosion, towards the English as well as Chinese hospitals in the city, towards the Chinese boys' mission school, when it was started, the Gorge Road Methodist church, and, we believe, he even contributed most liberally towards the funds for the Jubilee celebration in this city. In addition to all of which, he laid by a specific sum annually for the purchase of tracts, the object of which was to persuade his countrymen to discontinue the habit of smoking opium, as well as against gambling and indulging in any of the numerous forms of vice among young men. In short he was well known to the Chinese not only throughout British Columbia, but in many parts of California, as a man who thoroughly believed that his happiness in the world to come depended entirely upon his good works in the present world, but like all Orientals this belief was strangely characterized with inconsistency, believing not so much in refraining from evil deeds, but rather in having a preponderance of good ones. For his many good deeds, however, his countrymen regarded him as a father to the people, attaching the greatest weight to his words of admiration, and in fact many business as well as merely money altercations have been amicably settled through his intervention. It is not known what his age was, but to all appearances it was not far from three score. It is understood that his remains will be taken back to China, where he has many rich and influential relatives, and they would not like to have them interred in a foreign shore. He leaves one son in this city, and many friends to mourn his loss.

POLICE COURT RECORD.

(Before Hon. A. N. Richards, Q.C.)

Mr. F. E. DeVeuille was charged by Mr. Mallandaine with shooting a dog the property of the complainant, in a field near Menzies street, James Bay on Sunday last.

Miss Pauline Medina, a blooming young damsel, and as pretty as her pretty name, was called, sworn, blushed and stated she saw the defendant in the field; heard shots fired; saw a dog run and yelp.

Mr. Walls wanted the blushing young lady to speak up, which she did.

Miss Lizzie Deasy, sworn: Stated she lived on Toronto street, James Bay. On Sunday evening was in her house; heard two shots; heard dog yelp; saw the head of a man over the fence in rear of third house; saw the wounded dog. The Court examined the witness at great length in that slow and measured manner for which this court is remarkable. The audience went nearly to sleep. His Worship, however, woke them up by a demonstration that "smoke followed the burning of gun powder" and entered into a long discussion on the geography of James Bay and Menzies and Seymour streets in particular. His Worship made a good joke by informing the complainant that he would have to work his own case. At which the court, the police and the complainant laughed well. There was nothing else to laugh at. The case was adjourned till Wednesday next.

Thos. Golightly, charged under the vagrant act with obstructing the thoroughfare and swearing. Thomas didn't deny the impeachment and quietly remarked that as it was half-past three in the morning, there could not be much obstruction; had no objection to plead guilty. The officer, "No. 6," described the exciting scene with Thomas, who told him (the officer) that it would take the whole police to take him (the prisoner) to the station.

His Worship ordered Thomas to pay $5 toward the country's revenue, or go to gaol for one week, which he did. He paid the V and left.

Lizzie Reid against her husband, failed to appear. Case dismissed.

Gavonia, the Italian, charged with fraudulent traveling on the steamboat Yosemite.

Mr. Briggs stated the case for the S. S. company.

The Supt. of Police said the offence was committed outside the city limits.

His Worship wanted the company's lawyer to find some law in the case.

Mr. Briggs said if that was the case no person need pay passage money.

The Superintendent objected to the S.S company making the city pay for the keeping of delinquents against the rules of the S. S. company.

His Worship pointed out the course Mr. Briggs was to apply to the Provincial Stipendary Magistrate or a Provincial J. P. and finally remanded the hearing till to-morrow, advising Mr. Briggs in the meantime to obtain the advice of counsel to combat against the legal knowledge of the Superintendent of Police.

Angelo Aposoli, an Italian, was brought up on remand for stealing a revolver.

Sergt. McLaren, Vancouver city police, appeared to prosecute the prisoner.

His Worship decided to release the prisoner as the court had no use for him. But informed the prisoner that Sergt. McLaren would arrest him on a warrant.

Supt. Bloomfield wanted sureties for keeping the peace to be found by the prisoner.

His Worship decided to get rid of him altogether, which he did.

THE FRENCH HOSPITAL.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES:

SIR:—Your reports in THE EVENING TIMES are read with a great deal of interest and generally accepted as true. Would you kindly make a correction as to the foundation of the French Benevolent Society in 1860. Your informant seems to know nothing of the foundation of the F B. Society, except the fact that it was started in 1860, or else he would know that the information he gave you is untrue. In speaking of the prefix name, "French," he has insulted all those Frenchmen who, in 1860 and following year, nobly responded to the calls of their undertaking and the results of whose energetic enterprise still shine on Collinson street, although most of the promoters of that deserving institution are dead. Still a few of those men are living and the worthy Secretary-Treasurer, Wenger, would not, I am sure, dare to stand before one of them and tell him that the title of their society has always been considered a misnomer. Yours,

Arrived From Cork.

The ship Northcott arrived in Esquimalt this afternoon, 122 days from Cork, with supplies for the naval yard.

THE MENZIES CASE.

The Prisoner Found Guilty of the Charge Preferred Against Him.

He Makes a Statement and Sentence is Deferred Until To-Morrow.

The Menzies case which occupied so much attention for the past two weeks, was practically brought to an end to-day in the Supreme Court room, when Mr. Justice Gray delivered judgment, finding the prisoner guilty of the offence of procuring, by false pretences and fraudulent means, illicit intercourse between Ah Lin, a minor, and Ah Chee, a Chinaman. The facts in connection with this case have so recently been published that it will be needless to repeat them. The learned judge reviewed the evidence at considerable length and presented all the important points in an exceedingly lucid manner. The judgement, however, is too lengthy for our columns. Upon concluding the prisoner was asked if he had anything to say, when he made a statement, of which the following is a synopsis:

MENZIES' STATEMENT.

May it please Your Lordship:

I returned to Victoria, purposely, to give ventilation to these charges. It was not within my knowledge, at the time, that I would be able to offer nothing in my own defence, that I would be arraigned simply upon information and belief, as I have been, through the police authorities; no special charge being made against me, other than sworn to upon information and belief, brought about by the reports current in the newspapers. It has been for the prosecution—or rather persecution, I might say—to rake your statutes from one end to the other for the purpose of bringing some charge to stick against me. Had I known that I would not be able to give a personal defence and explanation in this matter, I should certainly not have placed myself in the position in which I am to-day. I am satisfied that I have done no injury to the province of British Columbia, nor its laws, nor have I sought to do any injury to my fellow creatures. The coming of this girl to my house through my mother-in-law and Mr. Vrooman dates nearly two years back. From that time she has been under my roof, and under my protection, where she has been dependent upon me for supplies, clothing and provisions, and so forth. In the meantime changes have taken place, and this girl has been under the protection of the "Home." From the time she came to my place I had no desire to have anything further to do with her; and believing from information from Mrs. Fowlers and others that she would be received, I offered one of them a situation with Mr. Cohen, and the other one I took into my family to assist the household. My family being about to remove from ill-health to California, I took this girl to Mrs. Crawford on her stating that her daughter, Mrs. Whittier, would be able to employ her with regard to family usefulness. She took her upon many occasions backward and forward to Esquimalt with her, but she was unable to keep her. I was compelled under the circumstances to seek a different place for the girl, where she could be employed to her own benefit and to that of others; but in each case I failed. I applied to many families, even to public places. I was compelled to maintain the expense of Mrs. Crawford's house for the purpose of keeping this girl at my own expense. During that time quite a period of months—nearly four months—elapsed. The girl had been nearly eight months prior to that under my protection, eating my food [at my table, a period of nearly a year upon which she had depended for support. If, during that year, I did not expend more than $150 for provisions and other necessaries upon her, I should be very much surprised. I believe it far exceeded that. During the time that the girl was at Mrs. Crawford's she was treated with the greatest possible kindness. Several witnesses at Mrs. Crawford's have seen her throughout the yards in the place where Mrs. Crawford resided, no restraint being put upon the girl. At no time was the way to the thoroughfare closed, the girl having free access to the public streets, nor did Mrs. Crawford ever chastise her, except on two occasions. The girl had been a prostitute; you will please take that into consideration. She was a rescued prostitute from one of the lowest dens in Chinatown. (Here the prisoner gave instances of the girl's depravity.) This is the character of the girl for whom I am to pay the penalty of the laws of British Columbia. Your Honor, if I have done any wrong, I think it must have been done to the Chinaman with whom I sought all honorable means to bring about a marriage with her. This man and girl sought to obtain a marriage. I stated openly that he could obtain that license; there was nothing underhanded about that. Immediately upon my return from the sheriff's office, according to stipulation, the Chinaman paid me down the money in Mrs. Crawford's presence. That receipt was then made by me, believing that there was no obstacle in the way of bringing about a proper marriage, and the consumation of the desires of each. I insisted with the man that he could not hold this girl five minutes from Mr. Vrooman, if he did not have the marriage performed according to the law of British Columbia. Following my leaving him, I went to each and all of the different ministers of Victoria. I was instructed by the Rev. Bishop Cridge, after stating the circumstances, and after stating the facts that this Chinaman had informed me of, that Mr. Vrooman had attempted to extort $200 from him as blood money; for I stated that to Bishop Cridge, as well as to Mr. Fraser, and you have seen that that gentleman in his last statement here, under oath, disclaimed that he had no further conversation with me, or knowledge in the matter, whereas, in the Police Court he does express it, and stated positively that I made that explanation to him. I went to each and all of those ministers and they refused. Then I went to Mrs. Crawford's place, after having my supper, having visited the Catholic Father, Father Jonckau, who gave me about the same advice, that is to allow them to marry after their own fashion. The advice of Bishop Cridge was to allow them to take their own form of ceremony. If I have done wrong, I have done wrong on their own instructions. For myself, I am willing to take all that the law can inflict upon me. I have, at least, manhood enough to stand anything in that character. Upon my own behalf, I ask nothing. Upon the behalf of my mother, and my wife, and my child, who are dependent upon me, I ask your leniency.

The court expressed a wish to procure a written copy of prisoner's statement, and deferred sentence until to-morrow.

From Cassiar.

H. Sylvester, of Cassiar, arrived in the city to-day, having come down on the Lake in canoe. He says mining in Cassiar is backward this year. On Quartz Creek the miners were doing well, but on Dease and Thibert Creeks operations wer quiet. The health of the district was good.

PERSONAL.

Items Telling of the Movements of Well Known Persons.

Mayor Grant returned from Vancouver last night.

Moses Lenz returned from the mainland last night

R F Drummond, mail agent on the C P R between Vancouver and Calgary, arrived in this city last night on the steamer Yosemite.

James Hedley editor of the *Monetary Times*, Toronto, and Mrs Hedley, who are in the city, are the guests of Mr William Angus, James Bay.

G Baillaingc, deputy minister of public works, Ottawa, accompanied by his wife, arrived on the Yosemite last evening and registered at the Driard.

Mrs Harriet Beecher Stowe is reported to be losing health and strength rapidly, being now hardly able to walk out of doors. She is at Sag Harbor with her son, the Rev Charles E Stowe.

Mme Boulanger, the wife of the now humiliated agitator, is said to be extremely pious and of a melancholy disposition. She does not enjoy her husband's popularity or the feminine homage paid him.

On Wednesday last a petition was telegraphed to President Cleveland recommending the appointment of W. R. Andrews, of Seattle, for Chief Justice of Washington Territory, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Judge Jones.

In the Angus-McIntyre party which will arrive here in a day or two are R B Angus, Miss Wanklyn and Miss Goad, London; Duncan McIntyre, wife and daughter, Prof P A Simpson, of Glasgow University and Mrs Simpson, and Messrs McLean and Sibbald, capitalists of New York.

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AUCTION.
FURNITURE
Wednesday, August 29,
AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.
I have been instructed by H. G. WALKER, Esq., to sell at his residence on Chambers St., facing Alfred Street:
BRUSSELS CARPETS AND RUGS, DINING CHAIRS,
Cane Lounge, Walnut Extension Table, Pictures, Vases, Glassware, Whatnot, Sewing Machine, Blinds, Lace Curtains and Poles, Clocks, Silver Basket, SQUARE PIANO, 2 Bedroom Suites, Toilet Sets, Spring Mattress, Feather Bed, Blankets, Linen, etc., No. 8 Cook Stove, Linoleum, Tables, Crockery, Cooking Utensils, Lady's Phaeton and Driving Cart, Garden Hose and Reel, Lawn Mower, Gem Seed Drill, Plough, Garden Implements, New Flower Pots, Etc.
ALSO—IN HALL:
Some fine Moose, Cariboo and Deer Horns.
GEO. BYRNES, Auctioneer.
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AT SWAN LAKE.
GOOD OAT HAY FOR SALE.
R. C. DAVIES,
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TO LEASE.
THE ST. NICHOLAS HOTEL (GOVERNMENT Street, containing 41 Bedrooms, besides parlors, furnished or unfurnished.
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Cheapest House in the Province for MEN'S and BOYS' CLOTHING, GENTS' FURNISHINGS, STAPLE DRY GOODS, BOOTS and SHOES, CROCKERY and GLASSWARE, AGATE HARDWARE and TINWARE.

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Cheap Hosiery.
Commencing from To-day we will sell our Cotton Hosiery at Cost.
Ladies' Solid Color Hose, 25c., now 20c.
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Ladies' Solid Color Hose, 50c., now 40c.
Ladies' Fancy Striped Hose, 50c., now 40c.
A Full Line of Children's Hose, from 10 cents to 40 cents.
Gents' Cotton Sox, from $1 doz.; Gents' Merino Sox, from 25c. pair.
In Dress Goods we have a Splendid Line in Stripes at 6 yds. for $1.
All our Light Colors in Fine Prints to be cleared out at 12½ cents per yard.
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CLARENCE BLOCK, DOUGLAS ST., VICTORIA.
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FAVORABLE RATES MADE FOR ALL ORDERS
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YARD — Adjoining Island R'y Depot, Store St.
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Range Setting, Grate Setting, Mantle Setting, Boiler and Kettle Setting.
Everything done in connection with this branch of work. Leave your orders at 117 Government St.
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I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE, that I intend to apply at the first sitting of the Bench of Licensing Magistrates for a license to sell Wines and Liquors by retail at the premises known as the St. Nicholas Hotel, Government Street. CHAS. PAGDEN.
Victoria, B. C., 21st August, 1888. aug21 1m

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BEST VARIETIES. True to name. Roses, Ornamental Trees and Shrubs in great variety at low prices.
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FIRST ANNUAL PICNIC
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Delightful Trip. Unequalled Scenery. Games and Amusements. Band in Attendance. Lots of Fun.
Light refreshments will be provided at moderate cost for those who do not take baskets.
Trains leave at 8.20 a. m.; 1.20 and 3.32 p. m.
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The Bewitching! The Captivating! The Sparkling!
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UNDER THE DIRECTION OF
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MONDAY, AUG. 27th, Presenting their latest New York Success,
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Will leave Turner, Beeton & Co.'s Wharf,
On Sunday, 26th Inst.,
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RETURNING ABOUT 7 P. M.
Fare for the Round Trip, $2.00.
Children under 12, free, when accompanied by parents.
The Queen City Band will accompany the Excursion.
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NOTICE.

In the Matter of the Estate of Coote Mulloy Chambers, Deceased.

All persons indebted to the above estate are required to pay the amount due forthwith and all persons having claims against the said estate are requested to present the same to THORNTON FELL, Solicitor for the Executrix.
Victoria, 15th August, 1888. aug16-1m